

Letter from Belle Torrance Munger to Alexander Graham Bell, April 11, 1892, with transcript

L Copy of a letter written by Belle Torrance Munger to Dr. Bell. Eureka, Kansas. April 11, 1892. Dear Mr. Bell.

I saw a picture of you recently, and it brought our journey two years ago, to my memory. You asked me then to write to you. I remember how you amused me all day with your queer watch, opening the case when I blew upon it; and then you made it walk and dance.

You also told me about your children and how much fun you had with them in the summer, rowing and climbing.

If you spent the summer in Kansas, it would not be to “climb” and “row”, but to ride on horseback over the prairie. This is my amusement.

We live eight miles from town on a farm. I will inclose my picture; it may bring my face and our pleasant day to mind. Then I was not seven years old. Last Sunday I was nine.

Your friend, Belle Torrance Munger.